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In response to the Notice to Comply with Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures ("Notice") mailed June 10, 2004, transmitted herewith for filing in the present application are the following documents:

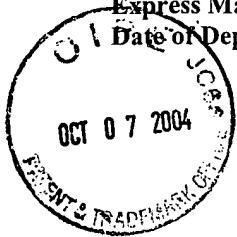
1. Copy of Notice to Comply with Requirements for Patent Applications (2 pgs.);
2. Response to Notice to Comply with Sequence Listing Requirement Under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.821 – 1.825 (1 pg.);
3. Petition for Extension of Time (1 pg., in duplicate);
4. Check No. 19442 in the amount of \$215.00 to cover a two-month extension of time;
5. Initial Copy of the Sequence Listing (18 pgs.);
6. Initial Computer Readable Form of the Sequence Listing (1 diskette)
7. Statement in Support of Computer Readable Form Submission under 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(f) (1pg.);
8. Preliminary amendment (2 pgs.);
9. Replacement Figures 12-14 (3 sheets);
10. Annotated Figures 12-14 Showing Changes (3 sheets); and
11. Return Postcard.

If the enclosed papers are considered incomplete, the Mail Room and/or the Application Branch is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned at 617/542-6000, Boston, Massachusetts.

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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO COMPLY WITH REQUIREMENTS FOR PATENT  
APPLICATIONS CONTAINING NUCLEOTIDE AND/OR AMINO ACID SEQUENCE  
DISCLOSURES**

In response to the Notice to Comply with Sequence Listing Requirements, mailed June 10, 2004, in the above mentioned application, Applicants submit a copy of the Notice to Comply, an initial paper copy of the Sequence Listing (18 pages), an initial computer readable form (CRF) of the Sequence Listing, a preliminary amendment, replacement figures 12-14, a petition for a two-month extension of time and the required fee, and a statement that the content of the paper and computer readable copies are the same.

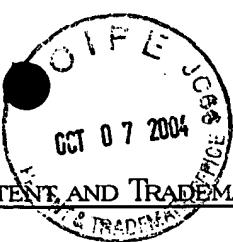
With the extension of time, this response is due on or before October 10, 2004. Applicants believe no additional fees are due in this filing, however, if any fee is due, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees that may be due to the undersigned's account, Deposit Account No. 50-0311, Reference No. 18989-033.

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**NOTICE TO COMPLY WITH REQUIREMENTS FOR PATENT APPLICATIONS  
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DISCLOSURES***Filing Date Granted*

Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE** within which to file the items indicated below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- This application clearly fails to comply with the requirements of 37 CFR. 1.821-1.825. Applicant's attention is directed to the final rulemaking notice published at 55 FR 18230 (May 1, 1990), and 1114 OG 29 (May 15, 1990). If the effective filing date is on or after July 1, 1998, see the final rulemaking notice published at 63 FR 29620 (June 1, 1998) and 1211 OG 82 (June 23, 1998). If the effective filing date is on or after September 8, 2000, see the final rulemaking notice published in the Federal Register at 65 FR 54604 (September 8, 2000) and 1238 OG 145 (September 19, 2000). Applicant must provide an initial computer readable form (CRF) copy of the "Sequence Listing", an initial paper or compact disc copy of the "Sequence Listing", as well as an amendment directing its entry into the application. Applicant must also provide a statement that the content of the sequence listing information recorded in computer readable form is identical to the written (on paper or compact disc) sequence listing and, where applicable, includes no new matter, as required by 37 CFR 1.821(e), 1.821(f), 1.821(g), 1.825(b), or 1.825(d). If applicant desires the sequence listing in the instant application to be identical with that of another application on file in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, such request in accordance with 37 CFR 1.821(e) may be submitted in lieu of a new CRF.

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